RETURNS CANVASSED.

OFFICIAL COUNT OF VOTES CAST AT REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

ONE NOMINATION DOUBTFUL.

RETURNS MAY CHANGE RESULT FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Buchan Leads Cubbison by Less Than 100 Votes-Tracy Leads Thompson for Coroner by 32 Votes County Convention Saturday.

The executive committee of the Republican county central committee of Wyandotte county met last night in the Portsmouth building in Kansas City, Kas., and canvassed the returns from the Republican county primaries. The official count changed the figures in some of the contests, but not sufficiently to change the results previously announced. The county onership contest between L. D. Mable and J. W. Moore is exceedingly close. According to the official count the vote stands: Mabie, 477; Moore, 474. This does stands: Mable, 477; Moore, 474. This does not include Mission precinct, from which returns have not been received. Only a very few voies were cast there, but it is possible that Mr. Moore may overcome the small majority of Mr. Mable.

The official count on the congressional contest, excluding Kerr, Mission and Connor precincts, shows that 1.832 votes were cast for Mr. Buchan to 1,732 for Mr. Cubbison. The returns from these precincts received unofficially give Buchan 1.852 against 1.771 for Cubbison, a majority of 91 votes. The vote on the other candidates follows:

County attorney—E. A. Enright, 1,685; J. B. Gibson, 1,321; A. H. Cobb, 355.
District clerk—Alex Gunning, 1,646; G. W. Probate judge—V. 7

Probate judge—K. P. Snyder, 1,830; J. P. Angle, 1,935; J. W. Howlett, 372.
County superintendent—Henry Meade, 1,593; William Yenner, 1,396;
Coroner—F. M. Tracy, 1,587; S. H. Thompson, 1,555. issioner-L. D. Mabie, 477; J. W. Moore, 474.
Representative, Tenth district—D. D.
Hoag, 700; J. F. Getty, 493; H. L. Waller,
235; E. S. Earhart, 231.
Representative, Ninth district—J. S. Edwards, 291; O. Q. Claffin, 253.
Representative, Eleventh district—H. A.
Bailey, 349; Joseph Taggart, 278; L. D, Tosh,
203.

In Delaware precinct, D. R. Smiley was the only candidate on the official ballot for committeeman, but when the votes were counted it was learned that the majority of the voters of the precinct had written the name of C. Hahn in the blank space on the ballot, and voted for him instead of Smiley. Similar action was taken in Junction precinct. C. V. Holsinger's name was inserted instead of August Baker, defeating the candidate whose name appeared on the ballot. It is possible that these two committeemer will be barred from serving, as they did not file nomination papers with the committee.

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The First ward delegation headed by Joseph Addison was elected, receiving nearly two-thirds of the total vote cast.

The executive committee issued the following call last night for the county convention, which will name Wyandotte county's delegation to the state convention:

"The delegates elected at the Republican primary election, held on Saturday, March 12, 1898, under the call issued by order of the Republican county, Kas, are hereby called and requested to meet in convention in the city of Kansas City, Kas, at Armory hall, on Saturday, March 18, 1898, at 11 o'clock a. n., for the purpose of selecting thirty-four (34) delegates and thirty-four (34) alternates to the Republican state convention, to be held at Hutchinson, Kas, on June 8, 1898.

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The new county central committeemen elected at the primaties are as follows:
First precinct, J. H. Miller; Second, William Smith; Third, Malk Cromwell; Fourth William Graham; Fifth, Joseph Addison; Sixth, Harry Mendenhall; Seventh, U. S. Sartin; Elghth, S. H. Whener; Ninth, Robert Campbell; Tenth, R. J. McFarland; Eleventh, Harry Darlington; Twelfth, A. E. Jehu; Thirteenth, Jackson Donald; Fourert Campbell; Tenth, R. J. McFarland; Eleventh, Harry Darlington; Twelfth, A. E. Jehu; Thirteenth, Jackson Donald; Fourteenth, C. P. Nash; Fifteenth, Charles Haug; Sixteenth, Jesse Williams; Seventeenth, George H. Jenkins; Eighteenth, N. E. Bishop; Nineteenth, William Priestly; Twentieth, H. K. Proudit; Twenty-first, A. L. Berger; Twenty-second, O. J. Peterson; Twenty-third, H. T. Addis; Twenty-fourth, H. Olson; Twenty-fifth, T. T. Hoffman; Twenty-sixth, W. J. Campbell; Twenty-seventh, J. H. Gray; Twenty-cighth, B. G. Hardine; Twenty-ninth, G. L. Coats; Thirtieth, R. A. Wakeman; Thirty-first, R. W. Laughlin; Thirty-second, F. A. Youkum; Thirty-third, Joseph Lambert; Thirty-fourth, N. A. Peterson.
Argentine-First ward, L. L. Maxson; second, G. F. Bender; Third, C. J. Trevor; Fourth, J. F. Trowbridge,
Rosedale-First ward, H. W. Gates; Second, E. A. Tompkins; Third, Thomas Love; Fourth, B. L. Stine.
Bonner Springs, Dave Myers; Chelsea, E. N. Stockton; Delaware, C. Hahn; Edwards-ville, J. B. Crawford; Grindle, Charles Johnson; Junction, C. V. Holsinger; Hester, William Stevenson; Midland, E. Joseph; Newton, A. Reeves; Oakland, E. E. Williams; Piper August Baker; Pomeroy, F. H. Betton; Quindaro, J. R. Barnett; Six-Mile, M. F. Comstock; Turner, R. H. Perkins.

CANDIDATES DO NOT APPEAR. They Fail to Avail Themselves of Opportunity Offered by Current Event Club

The Current Event Clu, a woman's po-litical organization of Mansas City, Kas., met in the council chamber of that city yesterday afternoon for the purpose of hearing an address by Mrs. Helen H. Har-ford, the national organizer of the W. C. T. ford, the national organiser of the W. C. T. U. and also to secure an expression from the municipal candidates as to the platforms upon width they expected to go into office this string. Mrs. Harford did not disappoint she club, but the majority of the candidates did, only two responding to the invitation to be present. Mrs. Harford's task was interesting.

The 'wo aspirants to public office who were present were P. De Clarke, Republican numbrase for councilman from the First

and number for councilman from the First and, and Dr. S. L. Harrison, Independent ward, and Dr. S. L. Harrison, Independent Democratic candidate for councilman from the Fifth ward. Both addressed the meet-ing. The members of the club were greatly disappointed because the other candidates ignored the invitation and will possibly make some of them sorry at the polls next month. However, as the candidates on both sides ignored it, the only way the club can get even is to urge its members to stay at home on election day. A female man-dolin club was present and furnished music.

MARRIED IN THE STREET.

Alvadore Wellman and Birdie Hayde Wed at 1 O'clock A. M., Standing on the Sidewalk.

Justice of the Peace S. H. Whisner, Mansas City, Kas., performed a rather unique marriage ceremony at 1 o'clock Sunday morning. The hour is an unusual feature was that the lovers were married before midnight Saturday, Alva-

in the street.

Shortly before midnight Saturday, Alvadore Wellman and Hirdie G. Liqyde, both of Wyandotte county, were driven to the home of Justice Whisner to be married.

Mr. Whisner was not at home at the time, but his mother assured the lovers that he would return soon. They drove about the city until 1 o'clock Sunday morning, when they called again at the home of the justice. He had just arrived, and aften ascertaining the nature of their visit he promptly consented to tie the knot. He invited them into the house, but the bride invited them into the house, but the brid nd groom declined, stating they would ther be married on the sidewalk. A rather be married on the succession. As the justice was growing drowsy, he did not argue the matter, but proceeded to perform the ceremony. The groom paid the justice an extra fee for the inconvenience he had caused him, and then Mr. and Mrs. Well-man drove away.

Police on Counterfeiters' Trail.

A squad of Kansas City, Kas., policemen were on the trail of a counterfeiter on the Kansas side last night for two hours. The counterfeiter appeared to be only thirty minutes ahead of them all the time, but they failed to capture him. He disposed of bogus coins at three different places on Minnesota avenue. The authorities have a perfect description of the man. The counterfeits are dollars and 50 cent pieces, of 1895 date. They can be easily detected if closely examined.

THE NEWS AT LEAVENWORTH.

Republican City Primaries Held Last Night-High School Rowdyism Must Stop.

The Republican primaries to select delegates to the county convention to be held this afternoon were held from 4 to 7 p. m. last night. In nearly every ward there was but one ticket, and in these wards a light vote was cast. The principal fight was made in the Sixth ward, where Robert McGinity came out as a candidate for the city council, in opposition to James H. Wills, the present member, The friends of both candidates did some hard work and brought out a large vote, but it resulted in the election of the Wills delegation. There was some opposition to Lewis Mayo for member of the school board from the Fifth ward, but his friends rallied to his support and pulled him through. Three justices of the peace are to be nominated this afternoon, but only two have announced themselves. On account of the reduction in the justices' fees it looks as if the third office will go begging. this afternoon were held from 4 to 7 p. m.

Marriage a Fallare.

In 1893 Signoria Sanders married Henry Wilson in the belief that she had found her own true mate. This did not prove to be the case, according to the papers filed in the district court yesterday, and now she wants the marriage set aside and to be restored to her former name. In support of

wants the marriage set aside and to be restored to her former name. In support of her application she relates a story that the ided of her maiden fancy proved to be nothing but a lump of clay, and very common clay at that.

She charges her husband with extreme cruelty and of writing letters to different parties reflecting on her character. In addition to this, she states that the defendant threw all of her personal belongings out of doors and turned her out to either starve or work for her living. She states that the defendant is well able to support her, but has utterly failed to do so,

Will Stop the Practice.

For several years the High school socie-ties have indulged in a rivalry over the dis-play of their colors preceding the date of the annual contest. This year was no ex-ception and the rivalry has gone so far as to bring on personal encounters between members of different societies. In several of these encounters the girls urged on the boys. Last week police had to be called to separate the combatants. Members of the two societies had another meeting and the result was that one of the boys received a two societies had another meeting and the result was that one of the boys received a 22 caliber bullet in the fleshy part of his leg, while the one who fired the shot had his glasses broken, the glass cutting his face and eyes. No arrests have been made, but the board of education will take steps to put a stop to such practices in the future.

Brief Mention.

Mehl & Schott, druggists, filed a suit in the district court yesterday to collect \$342.39 from the county for medicines furnished the county poor.

Charles Moreland and Earl P. Cafferty, two soldiers, serving a sentence in the guardhouse at Fort Leavenworth, made their escape yesterday morning, through the rear window of the building. Squads of cavalry were sent out in pursuit, but up to last night they had not been captured.

County Clerk Niehaus yesterday received a letter from Mrs. Mary rianagan, of New York, asking for information of her brother, Owen Conroy. She offers \$50 for information concerning his whereabouts, living or dead.

Real estate transfers yesterday amounted. Real estate transfers yesterday amounted

Justice Bond went to the house of Miles Justice Bond went to the house of Miles Baker yesterday to take his ante-mortem statement. Baker was shot by John Sanders on the night of March 8, and in his dying statement charges Sanders with shooting without provocation.

John Fletcher was arrested yesterday on the other was arrested yesterday on the other was a stressed.

the charge of assaulting Sanford Jones with a club, and using him up badly. Fletcher will have his trial before Justice Sond.

The county superintendent is sending out suestions for the annual county school

examinations.

Sheriff Everhardy took Thomas Owens, a 13-year-old boy, to the reform school yesclass of old Turners are sending out to an entertainment to iven by them in their hall next Sunday

given by them in their hall next Sunday night.

Leavenworth fishermen have secured the privileges of Horseshoe lake, for the coming season.

The roof of Dr. McNary's residence, at the Soldiers' home, caught fire yesterday from burning rubbish, but was extinguished before much damage was done.

Democrats will hold their primaries this evening.

GEN. ROSECRANS' FUNERAL.

Body Will Lie in State at Chamber of ANOTHER STRIKE PREDICTED.

Day. Los Angeles, Cal., March 14.-At 10 o'clock to-morrow the body of the late General W Rosecrans will be conveyed under milltary escort from the undertaking parlors where it has been since his death council Chamber of Commerce hall, there to lie in state until the funeral Wednesday morning. The pallbearers to-morrow will be chosen from city and county officials and members of the Chamber of Commerce and Free Ha, for League. The military escort will be furnished by General Last, of the National Guard. On Wednesday morning the funeral march will be held at the cathedral, the bishop of the diocese officiating, after which the body will be conveyed to Bosedale, there to remain in a vault unth it can be conveyed to Arlington cemetery. Washington, D. C., to be finally interest. be chosen from city and county officials

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Many telegrams and letters of condolence
have been received by the children of General Rosecrans. One from President McKinley speaks in very feeling terms of his
old commander.

FAR BEHIND WESTERN CITIES. Contractor Ellis Says the East Has Been Distanced in Matter of Municipal Improvements.

C. A. Ellis, formerly city engineer of Kansas City, Kas., left last night for Veedersburg, Ind., where he has been awarded the contract for the construction of a city water works and light plant. This is the second contract of the kind secured by Messrs. Ellis & Atkin since they engaged in the contracting business. They have just completed a similar job at Siloam Springs, Ark.

In speaking about public improvements in the East, Mr. Ellis stated yesterday afternoon that the cities of Indiana. Illinois and Ohio were far behind the Western cities. He states that very few cities of 5,000 population have water works or light plants. However, he is of the opinion that they are becoming awakened to the fact that Missouri and Kansas are leaving them far in the rear and are beginning to whip up a little. Mr. Ellis expects to be in Indiana all summer. Veedersburg, Ind., where he has been

FUNSTON TALKS OF CUBA. ectures to a Large Audience at First Presbyterian Church in Kanans City, Kas.

Colonel Frederick Funston addressed a large audience last night in the First Presbyterian church in Kansas City, Kas. He told of his experience while fighting in the cause of the Cubans. While Mr. Funston is not an orater of extraordinary ability, yet he told of the situation in Cuba in a plain and very interesting manner. His story was received by his many listeners with much appreciation.

The lecturer gave a graphic description of the desperate struggle the insurgents are making against the Spanlards. He did not vary far from his own personal experiences and observation to picture the situation, as it was not necessary. What he had actually experienced, coupled with what he saw, during his stay on the island made a very interesting story.

TO HONOR ST. PATRICK.

libernian Societies of Kansas City, Kas., Arrange for a Celebration in Armourdale.

The Hibernians of Wyandotte county have made elaborate arrangements for the musical and literary entertainment to be given Thursday night at McLean & McAnany's hall in Armourdale under the auspices of the different Hibernian societies of Kansas City, Kas., and Argentine. The following well known persons will take part in the evening's programme:

**ames A. Reed, Frank Walsh, Father World, ex-Mayor T. F. Hannon. Edwin S. McJunany, Miss Dalsy Vickers, Miss Regena Hallon, the Misses Glithorpe, J. S. Doyle's childen, Captain Hanover's children, Miss Katta Kirby, Frank Burke and others.

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London March 15.—A dispatch from Vi-enna to the Daily Mail says the Agrarian revolt in Jungary is spreading. In a con-flict between the peasants and gendarmerie on Sunday at Duna Foldvar, two peasants were killed and forty wounded.

LORD SALISBURY ILL.

Great Britain's Premier to Go to the South of France for Two Weeks.

London, March 14.-It is officially announced that the Marquis of Salisbury, the premier and minister of foreign affairs, was greatly fatigued by Friday's cabinet council, and a return of the weakness from which he has suffered, following the attacks of influenza, supervened, with the result that Sir William Broadbent, his physician, advised the premier to take a complete rest in the South of France. Mr. A. J. Balfour, the first lord of the treasury and government leader in the house of commons, so far as necessary is now dealand government leader in the house of commons, so far as necessary is now dealing with the foreign office business.

The Press Association is authorized to declare that the rumor that the Marquis of Salisbury contemplates resigning either of his offices is absolutely groundless.

The marquis starts for Beaulieu in about a week's time, and will stay there about a fortnight.

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Lord Salisbury's temporary retirement at the present critical period will be the subject of articles in all the morning papers to-morrow, expressing regret and concern, but also full confidence in the ability of Arthur J. Balfour to carry on the work of the foreign office. he foreign office. The matter was much discussed in the

The matter was much discussed in the lobbles of parliament to-night, many expressing fear: that Lord Salisbury will be compelled to drop his double duty as prime minister and foreign secretary.

There are no serious symptoms, but Lord Salisbury is experiencing the lassitude and other after effects of influenza, any attempt at work resulting in a febrile rise of temperature.

The rumors that Baron Cromer, British agent and consul general in Egypt, will agent and consul general in Egypt, will succeed him as foreign minister are revived.

DESTRUCTIVE FLOODS.

Grand and Thames Rivers Are Doing Great Damage to Towns of

West Ontario. Toronto, Ontario, March 14.-Dispatches from Western Ontario tell of the overflow of the Grand and Thames rivers, causing serious damage along their valleys. Sections of London, Bradford and Galt are completely submerged to a depth of from five to seven feet. In London 1,500 people are homeless, having been driven from their homes. Bridges and buildings were swept homes. Bridges and buildings were swept away by the rushing torrent. In Brant-ford firemen and citizens fought the raging waters all of yesterday, but were finally beaten out, and West Brantford is a regular lake. At Galt a heavy loss was sus-tained by the business people. The ice jam in the Grand river gave way and the flood following it tore away bridges, trees and wrecked a number of factories and private

wrecked a number of factories and private residences.

Montreal, March 14.—Floods are reported from all over the province. At Manzonville to-day a hotel omnibus was overturned. Three commercial travelers were fortunately stopped by a tree as they were being swept down the Mississiquol river, but the driver was lost, together with the team of horses, and the vehicle.

Toronto, Ont., March 14.—Reports from the flooded districts near Brantford and Gait to-night show that the water is now subsiding. The Grand river, which had overflowed its bounds, has gone down and danger of more serious damage is past.

NO MINERS' DEFENSE FUND. inited Workers of America Vote Against It, 7,533 to

10,214. Columbus, O., March 14.-The proposition for the establishment of a defense fund for the United States Mine Workers of America has been lost by a vote of the members of the organization. Some time ago a special committee submitted a plan for a defense fund and it was then sent members.

The ballots have now been received and tabulated by National Secretary Pearce,

	with the following result:	
9	For.	Against
9	Ohio 2,455	3.97
	Indiana	
Q	Illinois	2.34
3	West Virginia 444	
3	Kentucky 114	24
	Alabama 138	1907
9	Missouri 28	
	Wyoming	13
	Pennsylvania 311	1,65
	Totals	10,21
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Hanna's Manager Thinks 20,000 Central Pennsylvania Minera Will Soon Quit Work.

Cleveland, O., March 14.-Concerning the possibility of another great strike of coal Thomas Young, manager of the M. A. Hanna Coal Company, extensive operators in Pennsylvania, is quoted as

"A strike involving about 20,000 miners will probably soon be in full swing in Central Pennsylvania. The operators declare they will not pay the Chicago scale, and the miners announce their intention to strike. There will be a tremendous rush for coal with the opening of navigation on the lakes. the lakes.
"It is probable that the Hocking valley operators will sign the scale rather than lose their share of the spring business."

Strikers Return to Work.

Taueton, Mass., March 14.—The 1,100 operatives of the Whittendon cotton mills returned to work to-day after a strike lasting five weeks. Ten of the loom fixers who organized the strike will not be given employment.

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT.

Henry Isaacs and Miss Grace Graves, of Texas, Wed Within Two Hours of Meeting. Fort Worth, Tex., March 14.-A marriage

which occurred one night last week during the cattle convention possibly has no equal on record. Miss Grace Graves of Gainesville came to witness the cowmen's convention and while at the opera house with a party of friends by chance met and was introduced to Henry J. Isaacs, a prominent merchant of

Amarillo. In less than ten minutes from the dim each set eyes on the other Mr. Isaacs pro-posed, was accepted, and in less than two hours they were made man and wife by Justice Milan, he pronouncing the cere-mony at 2 o'clock in the morning. The bride is the daughter of C. C. Graves, of Royse, Tex., is tall, a pronounced bru-nette and exceedingly handsome. Mr. and Mrs. Isaacs left at once for their home at

Big Profit in Floral Farms.

From Pearson's Weekly. The means devised by certain land owners for the purpose of obtaining the utmost possible profit from their acres frequently possible profit from their acres frequently cause the production of some queer crops. That their enterprise commands success is conclusively proved by the fact that £5.000 was recently offered by a speculative builder for a floral farm of about eighteen acres near London.

The offer, however, was unhesitatingly refused, as the grower could get 2s 6d each for his tea roses at Christmas, 10s 6d per small pot of lilies of the valley, and from 10s to 15s per dozen for single gardenia flowers.

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Both in Essex and Kent there are immense flower farms, where beds of pansies and mignonette, five acres in extent, may be seen in all their beauty, as well as plantations of rose trees as far as the eye can reach; and as every "standard" bush fotches 2s 6d, and an acre contains 4.840, it will readily be seen that there is prodigious profit in this business.

Again, two acres and a half of violets will often produce 12,000 bunches, which easily retail at 3d each, while the cultivation of the bulbs is one of the most desirable occupations in the world, as an acre will yield over 50.000, and should these be narcissi or daffodlis, they are readily sold for 15s per dozen.

We get enormous quantities of the former flower, by the way, from the Sicily islands, where it grows under 50,000 superficial feet of glass.

Diversion.

From the Washington Star.

"How silly it is for those children to put pine shavings on their heads and pretend they are curls!" said one lady.

"Oh. yes," replied the other. "But it amuses them, and they will outgrow it. By the way, you are going to our fancy dress party. Every one is to impersonate a vegetable, the costume indicating which vegetable is meant. It promises to be unique and very charming."

TYPICAL DEMOCRATIC TRICK.

BOSSES TRY TO FLIMFLAM COLORED MEN OUT OF THEIR VOTES.

Scheme Nipped in the Bud by the Republican Committee, Which Met Last Night-Campaign to Be Opened Soon.

The Democratic bosses are already at work with their schemes to defeat the Re publican party in the coming election. At the meeting of the new city Republican committee last night it developed that cmissaries of Joe Shannon had gone among the colored voters informing them that all who had to make affidavits as to their residence in order to vote in the primaries of March 10 would not be required to register to-day in order to vote at the election on April 5. Steps were taken to see that this erroneous impression was counteracted. In the Sixth and Second wards it was stated that from four to half a dozen Democrats were at work all day yesterday among voters endeavoring to persuade them that it was not incumbent upon them

them that it was not incumbent upon them to register to-day. This little scheme was promptly discovered, and each committeeman was instructed to watch closely and see that the voters registered.

The fact that some of the Democratic managers were busy yesterday taking out first papers for parties desiring to become naturalized created gome discussion. Each precinct chairman was notified to see the judges of registration and have them look carefully into the right of a man. to vote before permitting him to be registered without protest. The law is that a man cannot vote until after the lapse of one year from the date of the filing of his first declaration.

Partial organization of the committee was effected by the selection of the following officers:

First vice president, A. S. Van Valkenburgh; second vice president, D. D. Drake; secretary M. E. Getchell; assistants, B. B. Francis and E. A. Norris; treasurer, C. C. Vost.

Chairman Love announced that he would

ost. Chairman Love announced that he would Chairman Love announced that he would secure Turner hall, at Twelfth and Oak streets, for the exclusive use of the Republicans during the campaign, in which to hold mass meetings and railles, but that a building in the business portion of the city and on the ground floor was needed for regular headquarters. Messrs. C. C. Yost, J. H. Hawthorne and John Sutherland were chosen a committee to secure erland were chosen a committee to secure

After a brief discussion of the situation it was decided that it was too early to arrange for the formal opening of the campaign. It was decided that the committee would meet Friday night, at which time the chairman said he would be ready to announce his sub-committees. The work of the campaign will then be outlined. Reports from all sections of the city showed a united party with no dissatisfaction. Whatever differences may have existed over the question of candidates has been sunk in a general desire for the success of the entire ticket. The recent rival ward clubs are arranging to consolidate and unite for a common purpose. After a brief discussion of the situation

MUST REGISTER TO-DAY. Booths Will Be Open From S A. M. to

9 P. M. and Only One Chance Will Be Given.

This is the day for registration through out the city. It is the only opportunity that will be presented. In the four ner wards every person who expects to vote in the coming election must register to-day the coming election must register to-day or he will be denied that privilege. In the old wards of the city all who did not register in 1896, all who have become voters since and those who have moved since the first registration, must register or they also will be deprived of the right to vote.

The voting booths will be open from 8 a. m to 9 p. m. The election commissioners were busy all day yesterday swearing in the judges and the clerks who are to conduct this registration.

There will be 122 places for the registration, appointed as followis: First ward, 4. Second, 5. Third, 12; Fourth, 19; Ffith, 7. Sixth, 8: Seventh, 12; Eighth, 16; Ninth, 22; Tenth, 12; Eleventh, 7; Twelfth, 4; Thirteenth, 4, and Fourteenth, 5.

In order to be a qualified voter, one must have been a citizen of the United States, a resident of the state one year, of the city sixty days and of the precinct twenty days. A voter who now moves from one precinct to another is not entitled to a vote.

CITIZENS' TICKET A FIZZLE. dates Refuse to Make the Race

and Only Morgan Sticks. The progenitors of the Citizens' union movement are meeting with considerable difficulty in finding candidates for the various offices who will "stick." It will be recalled that not long since a ticket was named headed by Judge R. H. Field for mayor. For more than a month it has been supposed that he had accepted the nomsupposed that he had accepted the nomination and that he was squarely in the race for mayor, but yesterday he filed with the election commissioners his declination of the honor. Mr. John C. Hope, who was nominated for auditor on this ticket, has also declined to make the race, notifying the commissioners that he was not a candidate. Colonel N. P. Simonds and Thomas McNamara, two of the nominees of this narry for members of the upper house, and party for members of the upper house, and James M. Curd for school director, have also given notice that they do not desire the honor sought to be conferred.

Colonel W. W. Morgan, who is also on this ticket for the upper house, was reported to have withdrawn yesterday, but late in the afternoon the announcement was made that he would make the race through. As to whether or not the vacancies on the ticket will be filled remains to be seen. party for members of the upper hor

SOCIALISTS FILE CANDIDATES. Complete Their Ticket With Nominees for the Lower House in

Four Wards. The Socialist Labor party yesterday filed candidates for the lower house of the council with the election commissioners, as fol ows: First ward-J. Milton McComas, a cook, who resides at 1018 Union avenue.
Eighth ward—Steve M. Gipson, a tinner by occupation, who resides at 1711 East Ninth street.
Tenth ward—Otto J. Schweltzgebel, a brewer, who resides at 2122 Charlotte

Eleventh ward-Samuel V. Smith, a miller, who resides at 416 Penn street.

While the above are the official filings for the lower house on this ticket to date, it is announced that H. C. Lohse will make the race in the Fourth ward and J. M. Cleavenger, in the Sixth. Edward Deuss has, it is said, declined to make the race for the school board on this ticket, and his place will be taken in all probability by Mrs.

Chastine Is Now Undecided.

J. C. Chastine, the colored candidate who was defeated for the Republican nomination for lower house councilman from the Sixth ward, who announced that he would run independently, is now undecided whether or not he will make the race. "I have a petition from over 300 voters of the ward asking me to run as an independent." he said to a reporter for The Journal yesterday, "but I have not decided what to do." Third Ward Colored Voters Meet.

A mass meeting of colored voters of the Third ward was held last night at 206 West Ninth street. Addresses were delivered by Henry Berry, George Thompson and oth-ars. Resolutions indorsing Jesse L. Jewell. the Republican nominee for the lower house from the ward, were adopted.

IRRIGATION RESERVOIRS.

Bill Looking to Their Construction on Principal Rivers of the Arid Districts. Washington, March 14 .- A bill was intro-

duced by Representative Newlands, of Ne-yada, to-day, directing the secretary of the vada, to-day, directing the secretary of the interior to make surveys for, and determine and report on the cost of erecting, reservoirs on certain rivers and tributaries, and appropriating \$250,000 for the purpose. The rivers named are the Sloux, Missouri and Yellowstone for the benefit of Nebraska. North and South Dakota, Montana and Wyoming: the Columbia and Snake for Oregon, Washington and Idaho: the Platte, Arkansas and Rio Grande for New Mexico and Colorado; the Carson, Walker and Humboldt for Nevada and Little Colorado, Glia, Rio Verde and Peuro for California and Arizona.

Johnny—"Is a jingo a man who would like to make war on all foreigners?" Papa —"Yes. my son; and he would prefer to talk the enemy to death."—Puck

SHIP RAN ASHORE.

Stiff Gale Carried New York Too Close In-Stands High and Dry on the Beach.

San Francisco, March 14.- The threemasted ship New York, from Hong Kong for San Francisco, ran ashore last night near Half Moon Bay, a small town about twenty-five miles south of San Francisco. Captain Peabody landed his crew in safety and not a life was lost.

The ship struck at 9 o'clock in the evenng within 300 yards of the shore. A stiff gale was blowing last night from the west. and in the haze and fog Captain Peabody could not get his bearings, and ran too close in. There was a terrible sea, and no assistance could be given from shore, as no small boat could live in the surf. This morning the ship's boats were lowered and the crew came ashore in safety. A tug was sent from here last night to the assistance of the stranded vessel, but she was powerless to help her off, and returned this morning. It is thought there is no possible chance of getting the New York off. She is high and dry at low tide. The on. She is high and dry at low tide. The ship is not broken up at all, and sits straight up, as if she were in the water. Her captain is afraid that she may tip over when the tide comes in, but at present she is in perfect condition. Powerful tugs will be sent from here and another attempt will be made to pull her off. The New York carried a cago of silks and general merchandise, consigned to D. I. Jones & nerchandise, consigned to D. L. Jones & Co. Even if the ship cannot be saved, the cargo will probably be taken out.

HEAVY TRAIN PILED UP.

Iwenty-two Missouri Pacific Freight Cars in a Heap Just West of Warrensburg.

Warrensburg, Mo., March 14 .- (Special.) Through freight No. 129, on the Missouri Pacific, west bound, in charge of Conductor Collard, was completely wrecked at the Fort Scott crossing, a mile west of here, to-day. The train consisted of twentyeight cars, mostly loaded. At the point of the wreck was a sharp curve. The engine jumped the track and eighteen heavily oaded cars and four empties were in an instant piled upon the track within a space of less than 200 feet. An Italian, Peter Morio, was riding upon the bumpers of one of the foremost cars and was thrown through the barbed wire fence into an adjacent field, sustaining severe bruises and adjacent field, sustaining severe bruises and cuts. He states that there were two tramps riding upon the trucks beneath an other car. This car is a total wreck and it is considered impossible that they could have escaped instant death, if they were there. The wreck is one of the worst in the history of the Missouri Pacific railway. Merchandise is scattered all over the ground, Wrecking crews from Sedalia and Kansas City arrived at the wreck as soon as possible and it is thought that the track will be cleared before morning. All trains are going by the Lexington branch between Sedalia and Kansas City now.

WRECK ON STILWELL ROAD.

Engineer Killed and Brakeman and Fireman Injured on Northern Connecting Line.

Plattsburg, Mo., March 14.-(Special.) Engineer C. E. Pierce was killed outright, Brakeman W. T. Coull fatally injured and Fireman Cahill sustained a broken arm in a wreck of a freight train on the Kansas City & Northern Connecting line, one and one-quarter miles north of Trimble, about 4.30 o'clock this afternoon. The tender of engine 583, drawing local freight train No. 4, south bound, jumped the track in crossing the bridge over Hail's branch, a small stream. The engine and one freight car stream. The engine and one freight fell from the bridge into the creek. engine turned upside down. Engin Pierce's family resides in Kansas C Both of the injured men were married

BRIDGE SPAN FALLS.

Six Men Badly Shaken Up and Bruised at Winona, Minn., Yesterday Atternoon.

Winona, Minn., March 14.-The eighty-six foot steel span being placed at this end of the Chicago & Northwestern drawbridge across the Mississippi river here fell this afternoon, with six men on it, a distance of twenty-five feet. The span had been moved two feet out to let a train pass, and while in this position the timber cribbing supporting it collapsed. All six men were badly shaken up and bruised. The injured are: James L. McDonald, Frank Sawyer, H. W. Wells, Thomas Mungen, and Thomas Deen, all of Chicago, and Harry Felgate, of Winona.

Leavenworth, Kas., March 14.—(Special.) ire broke out to-night in the basement of Fire broke out to-night in the basement of M. B. Donovan's warehouse, wherein was stored twenty-five cars of hay. After a sharp struggle, the fire department extinguished the flames before the building received any material injury. The fire is supposed to have originated from a cigar stump thrown into the basement.

FRANCES WILLARD AS A PIRATE ome Early Traits of the Great Temperance Leader-Her Moth-

er's Teachings. The late Frances Willard was never intended by nature to walk in the old beaten

track, say her friends.

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When she was a mere girl at school at Evanston she joined herself to the wildest and brightest girls in the school, and one night after the reading of "Jack Sheppard" she and another kindred spirit dressed themselves as pirates, with bowie knives and pistols, and, armed further with two clgars and a bottle of ginger pop, attempted to emulate the real pirate by looking as fierce as they possibly could. The two worthles were discovered by a teacher, who told them to go to her room and smoke out the mosquitoes that were "tantalizing" her there, and the future temperance leader and her friend went through all the horrors of "a first smoke."

In later life, when Miss Willard was elected president of the Chicago union, she refused a salary, saying that she intended to live by faith alone, but when she went home to be nursed, after she had known hardship and suffering, her mother taught her a lesson that she never forgot, in the following way:

"Now, I want you to listen to your mother," she went on. "I believe in faith as much as you do, but you have, with a pure intention, yet ignorantly, flown in the face of Providence. Those good women spoke to you about a maintenance the very day they chose you president. That was your Heavenly Father's kind provision, and you turned away from it, and dictated to Him the method of His care. The laborer is worthy of his hire; they that preach the Gospel shall live by the Gospel; this is the law and the prophets from St. Paul down to you. God isn't going to start loaves of bread flying down the chimney nor set the fire going in my stove without fuel. I shall soon see the bottom of my flour barrel and my coalbin. You are out at elbows, down at the heel, and sick, too, Now, write to those temperance women, give them a plain statement of the facts, and tell them down at the need, and sick, too. Now, write to those temperance women, give them a plain statement of the facts, and tell them that you have made the discovery that God works by means and they may help you if they like."

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From the San Francisco Argonaut.

Several elergymen boarded a street car in Roston one day, and one of them hearing that Wendell Phillips was in the car, got up and asked the conductor to point him out. The conductor did so, and the minister, going up to the orator, said: "You are Mr. Phillips, I am told?" "Yes, sir." "I should like to speak to you about something, and I trust, sir, you will not be offended." "There is no fear of it." was the sturdy answer, and then the minister began to ask Mr. Phillips earnestly why he persisted in stirring up such an unfriendly agaitation in one part of the country about an evil that existed in another part. "Why" said the elergyman, "do you not go South and kick up this fuss and leave the North in peace?" Mr. Phillips was not in the least ruffied, and answered smillingly; "You, sir, I presume, are a minister of the Gospel?" "I am, sir," said the elergyman, "And your calling is to save souls from hell?" "Exactly, sir." "Well, then why don't you go there?"

Brain Food of Collegians.

Hard study makes schoolgirls hungry, also collegians; therefore the Bryn Mawr students are ready for their regular meals and welcome any between-times addition to the fare. It is said that the capabilities of the chafing dish have never before been tested thoroughly as in Pembroke, Radnor, Denbigh and Merion halls. Some of the advanced mathematical students make impromptu feasts on buckwheat cakes baked in a chafing dish.

INDEPENDENCE.

W. H. Moore Withdraws From Mayoralty Contest and Denounces Democratic Committee.

W. H. Moore, one of the Democratic can-

Democratic Committee.

W. H. Moore, one of the Democratic candidates for mayor, withdrew from the race yesterday, and the members of the court house push were in high glee as a result. The followers of Mr. Moore feel defeat quite keenly. Mr. Moore gave out the following statement, giving his reasons for withdrawing:

"At the request of a large number of my friends, and with the promise of their hearty support at the polis, I admounced that I would make the race for the Democratic nomination for mayor. I did not enter the contest as a candidate of any particular faction. I hoped and, in fact, had every reason to expect at the time; that the people of Independence would be given a fair opportunity to express their desires at the polis. I made my announcement and have conducted my campaign so fair on my faith in the promises of the majority of the city committee that the people would be allowed to vote directly for the candidates. The action of the majority of the city committee in calling a delegate convention precludes the people in a great measure from asserting their choice, and in the face of the almost unanimous requests from the candidates, myself included, to do otherwise, their action reflects in unmistakable terms their attitude toward me as a candidate. I cannot expect a bona fide nomination from delegates elected at any primary conducted under their supervision. I therefore deem it useless to proceed further. I wish, however, in withdrawing from the race, to thank my friends for their hearty support and the encouragement they have tendered me. I am a Democrate and I take this action because I believe it best for the party. Yet I regret exceedingly, both on account of my friends and the party, that I have been forced to take this step. Yours respectfully.

The withdrawal of Mr. W. H. Moore from the race for the Democratic mayoralty nomination leaves S. H. Woodson with a clear field. Mr. Woodson made a reply yesterday to a publication in a local Democratic paper to the effect that he dictated the report

ing the delegate convention for the reason that in the light of past experience a dele that in the light of past experience a dele-gate convention to a certain extent re-moves the friction and animosity and soft-ens defeat to opposing candidates. Mr. Woodson sets out that if any one is under the impression that he is afraid to test his strength by a vote direct for the candi-dates he is perfectly willing to enter such a contest

a contest.
"I say now publicly that any plan the committee may decide upon will suit me, delegate primaries, direct primaries, mob

delegate primaries, direct primaries, mob primaries, a foot race or jack straws, anything for harmony," he said.

The anti-court house crowd expects to scalp the city committee which downed Moore. Albert Ott, assistant presecuting attorney: Ben F. Roberts, right bower of Judge Chrisman, and Clerk of County Court T. T. Crittenden, and David W. Wallace, a deputy in Milton Welsh's office, are the members who voted for the delegate convention. Roland Proctor and T. C. Caldwell were in the minority.

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The Republican city committee held a meeting last night and called city primaries for the First. Second and Third wards, to be held by mass meatings of Republicans at 7:39 o'clock next Friday night, and for the Fourth ward, ballot primaries, to be held from 1 p. m. to 8 p. m. Friday. Fourth ward Republicans will vote direct for candidates for councilman. Candidates for the council from the other three wards will be chosen by the delegates to the city convention. The wards are crititled to delegates to the convention as follows: First ward, 10; Second ward, 11; Third ward, 10; Fourth ward, 11. The primaries for the First ward will be held at Music hall; for the Second ward at Fletcher's blacksmith shop; for the Third ward at Yetter's carpenter shop; for the Fourth ward at Blankenship's carpenter shop. William Briner and J. R. Haldermann will be judges, and William Ramsey and Thomas James cierks of the Fourth ward ballot primaries. Delegations to be voted for must be filed with the chairman of the city committee by noon Thursday.

The city convention will be held at Music hall at 8 o'clock Saturday night. It will nominate candidates for mayor, city attorney, city treasurer, city assessor, city collector, police judge, city marshal and councilmen from the First, Second and Third wards, and will select a new city central committee.

Miss Mary Woodson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs A. M. Woodson, of this city, will be married to Mr. Robert E. Leach to-night at the Christian church. The ceremony will take place at 6:30 o'clock, after which the bridal couple will go to their newly furnished home on South Spring street. Mr. Leach is city attorney. The bride-to-be is quite popular in social circles.

Independence News Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Ott are expected to return to-day from the West, after an absence of several weeks.

The Independence Golf Club will meet to-night with M. G. Wood, at his residence, on North Pleasant street.

John Torpy announced yesterday that he would be a candidate for the nomination for councilman, subject to the Democratic convention. onvention.

Miss Jamison, who has been visiting Mrs, W. H. Waggoner, returned to her home at Sedalia yesterday, accompanied by Mrs. George Foster.

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The funeral of Mrs. Freeman Hulse took place yesterday. Interment was at Wood's chapel cemetery.

H. J. Ott is confined to his home by filness. He was reported to be somewhat improved yesterday.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Marino Masdon and Katle Knapp. Henry Knapp and Ella Hedrick.

Miss Carrie E. Mack and Miss Hickman, of Kansas City, were the guests of Miss Mary Packard, of West Maple avenue, yesterday.

James Bennett was arraigned in Justice Louis Jones' court yesterday, charged with felonious assault upon H. C. Lewis. His preliminary examination was set for Sat-

preliminary examination was set for Satmr. and Mrs. Frank McKee are enter-Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKee are enter-taining a little daughter at their home on North Noland street.

Fred Emerson Brooks, the poet humor-ist, will give a recital to-night at the First Presbyterian church, under the auspices of the Kansas City Ladies' college.

Word was received yesterday from Springfield that Rev. Albert Jump was ill and is confined to his bed there. Rev. Mr. Jump was ill before going to conference at

IT IS A RARE OLD APPLE TREE. Why Its Fruit Is Splashed With Crimson and the Core Is the Color of Blood.

From the New York Sun.

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In an orchard on the old Peter Turner homestead, Monroe, N. Y., is one tree that is knotted and gnarled by age, but every other year bears abundantly of apples of variety known nowhere else in Orange county, nor, perhaps, in any other county, The fruit is of the size of a winter pippin and has a similar flavor. It is golden in color, the skin being splashed with crim son spots: which also work the apple's flesh to the core, which is of a deep blood color. This apple is known locally as the Indian Princess, and tradition gives it the following romantic origin:

When the Indians still had possession of the Ramano valley and the adjacent highlands, one of their villages was located where the Turner farm now is, and wild apples grew thereabouts. The daughter of a chief was loved by and loved a young warrior of the tribe, who did not have the approbation of the Indian maiden's father. He forbade his daughter to show favor to her dusky wooer, but she insisted on her love and met the warrior secretly. When the chief at last discovered her disobedience he at once took measures to deal summarily with both the maid and her lover, and they attempted to escape his vengeance by fleeing from the village together. They were detected in their flight by the angry chief. He commanded his daughter to return to her wigwam. The hold lover stood with folded arms awaiting her decision. She defied her father and stepped forward to join her lover. An arrow from her father's bow pierced her heart. She fell to the ground and died on a spot where a wild apple tree was sprouting from the earth. The soil absorbed her lifeblood as it flowed, and the tender roots of the young tree drew it in and made it part of its, vital juices. Such was the story the white people heard when they came to settle in this part of Orange county, and it has been handed down from generation to generation as unchanged as the nature of the apple itself. The old tree in the Peter Turner orchard is a lineal descendant of the original Indian Princess apple tree, and is believed to be the last of its race.

Mrs. Humphry Ward's financial success, flesh to the core, which is of a deep blood color. This apple is known locally as the

Mrs. Humphry Ward's financial success though her record as a writer is not a long one, places her among the favored few of literature whose earnings amount to any-thing like a fortune. It is said her publishers have paid her more than \$300,000.



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